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# REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL

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**This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 CFR 1.114 of the above-identified application.**  
Request for Continued Examination (RCE) practice under 37 CFR 1.114 does not apply to any utility or plant application filed prior to June 8, 1995, or to any design application. See Instruction Sheet for RCEs (not to be submitted to the USPTO) on page 2.

## 1. Submission required under 37 CFR 1.114

- a. ☐ Previously submitted
- i. ☐ Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 CFR 1.116 previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_  
(Any unentered amendment(s) referred to above will be entered).
- ii. ☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_
- iii. ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_
- b. ☒ Enclosed
- i. ☒ Amendment/Reply with Attachment
- ii. ☐ Petition for Withdrawal From Issue
- iii. ☒ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)
- iv. ☒ Other Fee Transmittal, Terminal Disclaimer

## 2. Miscellaneous

- a. ☐ Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 CFR 1.103(c) for a period of \_\_\_\_\_ months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; Fee under 37 CFR 1.17(i) required)
- b. ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_

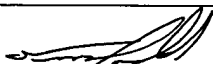
## 3. Fees

The RCE fee under 37 CFR 1.17(e) is required by 37 CFR 1.114 when the RCE is filed.

- a. ☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayments, to Deposit Account No. 50-0921
- i. ☒ RCE fee required under 37 CFR 1.17(e) **09/11/2008 HVUONG1 00000024 10666873**
- ii. ☐ Extension of time fee (37 CFR 1.136 and 1.17) - Two months **01 FC:2801 405.00 OP**  
**02 FC:2202 250.00 OP**
- iii. ☐ Other Information Disclosure Statement Fees and Petition Fees
- b. ☐ Check in the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ enclosed
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